

In the Claims:

Please amend Claim 6 as follows:

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6. (amended) A method of making packages having slide zippers,
said method comprising the steps of:

providing a supply of a series of concatenated packages,
each of said packages having a reclosable zipper;

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providing a supply of sliders, each of said sliders being
insertable on to said reclosable zipper and adapted to open and
close said reclosable zipper as said slider is moved along said
reclosable zipper in opening and closing directions,
respectively; and

for each of said packages, removing a slider from said
slider supply and inserting said slider on to said reclosable
zipper.